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shall be final and binding upon the Director, except as provided in § 404.650.

[29 FR 11595, Aug. 13, 1964, as amended at 32 FR 14222, Oct. 13, 1967. Redesignated and amended at 61 FR 32655, June 25, 1996]

§ 404.650 Review of Administrative Law Judge's initial decision.

- (a) The Administrator may, on his own motion, or on the basis of a petition filed by the U.S. Registered Pilot in the proceedings or the Director, review any initial decision of the Administrative Law Judge by entering a written order stating that he elects to review the action of the Administrative Law Judge. Copies of all orders for review, replies, and decisions shall be served on all parties.
- (b) A petition for review shall be in writing and shall state the grounds upon which the petition relies. A petition for review shall be limited to the record before the Administrative Law Judge. Five (5) copies of such a petition for review, together with proof of service on all parties, shall be filed with the Administrator (CL) within fifteen (15) days after the date of service of the initial decision of the Administrative Law Judge. Parties may file replies, in writing, to a petition for review, with proof of service on other parties in the same manner and number of copies as is provided for filing of a petition for review and within ten (10) days after the date the petition for review is timely filed. A reply shall be limited to the record before the Administrative Law Judge and the petition for review.
- (c) If a petition for review is filed within the time prescribed, the initial decision of the Administrative Law Judge shall be final fifteen (15) days after expiration of the time prescribed for filing a reply thereto unless the Administrator prior to expiration of the fifteen (15) days after expiration of the time prescribed for filing a reply thereto enters a written order granting the petition for review. If no petition for review is filed within the time prescribed and the Administrator does not elect to review on his own motion, the initial decision of the Administrative Law Judge shall be final twenty (20) days after the date of service of the decision.

- (d) If the Administrator reviews the initial decision as provided in this section, he shall issue a written order affirming, amending, overruling, or remanding the initial decision of the Administrative Law Judge within thirty (30) days after the date on which he takes review. There is no other administrative remedy within the Department of Transportation.
- (e) When the Administrator has sustained an order of suspension or revocation of a registration, the respondent may appeal to the National Transportation Safety Board under 49 CFR 825.5 within ten (10) days after service of the Administrator decision.

[32 FR 14222, Oct. 13, 1967, as amended by CGD 76–189, 42 FR 31160, June 20, 1977; 61 FR 5721, Feb. 14, 1996. Redesignated at 61 FR 32655, June 25, 1996]

Subpart G—Operating Requirements for U.S. Registered Pilots and Holders of Certificates of Authorization; Authority of the Director Over Operations

§ 404.700 Operating requirements for U.S. registered pilots.

Each U.S. registered pilot shall—

- (a) Provide pilotage service when dispatched by his pool; and
- (b) Comply with the dispatching orders of the Director under §404.720 (b).

[CGD 74-233, 40 FR 41527, Sept. 8, 1975. Redesignated and amended at 61 FR 32655, June 25, 1996]

§ 404.710 Operating requirements for holders of Certificates of Authorization

Each holder of a Certificate of Authorization shall—

- (a) Comply with the terms of any agreement for services by registered pilots on the Great Lakes between an appropriate agency of Canada and the Secretary, his designated agent, or the Director:
- (b) Coordinate on a reciprocal basis its pool operations with pool operations of the Canadian Government, under the "Memorandum of Arrangements, Great Lakes Pilotage, Between the Secretary of Transportation of the